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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE MATTER OF:

TAKAGI, Yuji

GROUP: 3679

SERIAL NO.: 10/779,296

EXAMINER: A.M. Dunwoody

FILED: February 12, 2004

FOR: METLALIC TUBULAR HOSE HAVING A RUBER OR RESIN HARD MATERIAL  
LAYER

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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This is in response to the outstanding Office Communication dated June  
3, 2005.

Should any fees be required to enter this Amendment please deduct such  
fees from our Deposit Account. No. 01-1944.

Please amend the application as follows: